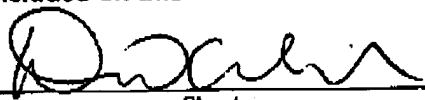


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)					Docket No. 03-025/PES-0220	
In Re Application Of: Greg A. Hanlon						
Application No. 10/711,685	Filing Date September 30, 2004	Examiner Lee, Cynthia K.	Customer No. 23462	Group Art Unit 1745	Confirmation No. 5684	
Invention: ELECTROCHEMICAL CELL BIPOLAR PLATE						
<u>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>						
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>December 30, 2005</u> in the above-identified application. <i>Date</i>						
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month <input type="checkbox"/> Two months <input type="checkbox"/> Three months <input type="checkbox"/> Four months <input type="checkbox"/> Five months						
from: <u>March 30, 2006</u> until: <u>April 30, 2006</u> <i>Date</i> <i>Date</i>						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27						
The fee for the extension of time is \$60 and is to be paid as follows:						
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1130						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 06-1130						
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.						
WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.						
 <i>Signature</i>			Dated: April 27, 2006			
David Arnold Registration No. 48,894 Cantor Colburn LLP 55 Griffin Road South Bloomfield, CT 06002 phone: 860-286-2929 fax: 860-286-0115			04/28/2006 TL0111 00000030 061130 107116 02 FC:2202 25.00 DA 03 FC:2251 60.00 DA			
CC:			I certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on _____ <div style="text-align: center;"><i>(Date)</i></div> <div style="text-align: center;"><i>Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</i></div> <div style="text-align: center;"><i>Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</i></div>			

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